



Get Ready, Engaged & Informed

US EPA Holds Community Information Sessions on Portland Harbor

Portland, Oregon

February 2016

Get Ready: The Lower Willamette River is a valuable natural resource. However, Portland Harbor, a section of the River between the Broadway Bridge and Sauvie Island, has contaminants which are harmful to people, fish and wildlife. EPA is taking action to make it a cleaner, healthier place to live, work and play. A Proposed Plan that will be released this spring will outline EPA's recommended path for achieving those goals!

Get Engaged: It's not yet time for the plan or public comment. But it is time to engage with EPA to learn more, ask questions and hear information about Portland Harbor before the plan is released.

Get Informed: Come to one of the upcoming Community Information sessions offered by EPA. During the community session EPA will:

- Provide background on Portland Harbor
- Discuss why the cleanup matters to you and the community
- Explain why your input is very important and how you can be engaged

DATE	LOCATION
Thursday, February 11 Open House: 6:30-7pm Information & Discussion Session: 7pm- 8:30pm	Matt Dishman Community Center 77 NE Knott St, Portland
Thursday, February 18 Open House: 6-6:30 pm Information & Discussion Session: 6:30-8 pm	Woodrow Wilson High School Cafeteria 1151 SW Vermont St, Portland, OR
Thursday, March 3 Webinar – Live online information session 7pm	More information coming soon! Visit EPA Portland Harbor website http://go.usa.gov/3Wf2B
Saturday, March 19 Open House: 12:30-1pm Information & Discussion Session: 1-2:30pm	Matt Dishman Community Center 77 NE Knott St, Portland
Saturday, March 26 Open House: 11:30-12noon Information & Discussion Session: 12-1:30pm	Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI) 1945 SE Water Ave, Portland, OR 97214 <i>Featuring graphic facilitator Martha Bean</i>
Wednesday, March 17	SE Portland, Location and time TBD

Visit EPA's Portland Harbor website to learn more: <http://go.usa.gov/3Wf2B> or contact Alanna Conley at 503-326-6831.

In addition, you are invited to attend the following forums which are free and open to the public:

- **Monday, Feb. 8** 7 pm, Audubon Society, 5151 NW Cornell Rd, Portland
- **Tuesday, Feb 9** 7 pm, League of Women Voters, Multnomah County Board Room, 501 SE Hawthorne Blvd.
- **Tuesday, Feb 23** 7 pm, CAG Forum, Linnton Community Center, 10614 NW St. Helens Rd.